



# ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN SCHOOL

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## QUICK LINKS:

- **NEW Website:** [www.st-johns-lutheran.com](http://www.st-johns-lutheran.com)
- **Fast Direct:** [www.fastdir.com/sjlcs/](http://www.fastdir.com/sjlcs/) (assignments, grades, payments)
- **Scrip Orders:** [www.shopwithscrip.com](http://www.shopwithscrip.com)
- **Lunch Menu:** [Lunch Menu-FASTDIRECT](#)

## SITES & BLOGS.

- ❖ [School FaceBook](#)
- ❖ [School/Church](#)
- ❖ [School Calendar](#)
- ❖ [Mrs. Kolberg](#)
- ❖ [Preschool](#)

## HOME BULLETIN #7

December 1, 2017

### REMINDER:

Meet at 5:30 pm at Lot #37 to walk with us in the Jingle Bell Parade.



### St. John's School Snow Days

If Grand Haven Area Public Schools are closed due to inclement weather (snow, ice, fog, etc.), St. John's Lutheran School is automatically closed.

School closings due to inclement weather conditions or any other emergency will be announced in the early morning over a number of area radio and TV stations. Please listen or watch the following radio or television stations for school cancellation or delays. **DAYCARE WILL ALWAYS BE OPEN ON SNOW DAYS.**



WGHN Radio (FM 92.1 and AM 1370)  
WOOD AM (1300)  
WZZM TV 13  
WOOD TV - 8

If there are any delays in the start of the school day, kindergarten will be automatically canceled for the day.

### God's Pantry

Join us in dressing up and donating items for filling our church pantry and holiday baskets. Mon. Dec 18<sup>th</sup> through Wed. Dec 20<sup>th</sup>.

- † **Monday: Ugly Sweater/ Red & Green Day**  
**Peanut Butter, Jelly**
- † **Tuesday: Night Before Christmas-PJ's & slippers**  
**Canned Corn & Fruit**
- † **Wednesday: Dress your Best Day**  
**Advent Worship Dress Rehearsal**  
**Creamed Soups, Canned Ravioli**



## Weekly Calendar



- Fri 1<sup>st</sup> St John's Feeding America Food Truck
- Sat 2<sup>nd</sup> Cookie Walk 9:00-Noon  
**Jingle Bell Parade 6:00 pm**
- Wed 6<sup>th</sup> Chapel 10:00 am
- Thurs 7<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> Journey to Bethlehem
- Fri, Sat 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> **Boys Basketball Invitational Tournament Our Savior (Friday 6:10 pm)**
- Tues 12<sup>th</sup> **Boys Basketball Game Our Savior 4:00 pm**
- Wed 13<sup>th</sup> Chapel 10:00 am
- Wed 20<sup>th</sup> **School Advent Program Dress Rehearsal at 10:00 am**  
**Christmas Luncheon**  
**Advent Program at 6:30 pm**
- Fri 21<sup>st</sup>-Jan 2<sup>nd</sup> **Christmas Break**
- Thurs 21<sup>st</sup> -22<sup>nd</sup> **Daycare OPEN**
- Sun 24<sup>th</sup> Interactive Family Christmas Eve Worship 4:00 pm
- Mon 25<sup>th</sup> **Christmas Day**  
**HAPPY BIRTHDAY JESUS.**
- Wed 27<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup> **Daycare OPEN**



Wed 3<sup>rd</sup> **School Resumes**



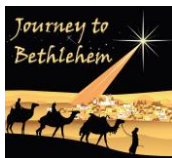
### Daycare Open during Christmas Break

The following dates will be open in our Childcare Dept. during Christmas Break.  
Thurs, Dec 21<sup>st</sup> & Fri Dec. 22<sup>nd</sup>,  
Wed., Dec. 27<sup>th</sup>, Thurs, Dec. 28<sup>th</sup>, & Fri Dec 29<sup>th</sup>  
**Please notify the staff ahead of time if you plan to use the Childcare over the Christmas break.**

## Journey to Bethlehem (J2B) Ticket Sales:

J2B is on Dec. 7, 8 and 9. Tickets can be purchased at [www.journey2bethlehem.com](http://www.journey2bethlehem.com).

Tickets are \$5 per person and are purchased for a specific time.



Thank you to all parents, family and friends who participated in **Shop 4 Schools**. St. John's Lutheran School earned \$303.00 from this event. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. With warm thanks, The PTL

## Chapel Offering

November and December Chapel offering will be going towards God's Pantry for their Winter Coat Drive.

If you have a NEW or gently used condition coat, you can bring it into St John's Lutheran School and place it into the collection box in the foyer



## Our Advent & Christmas Services: Mid-Week



**Advent Worship** on Wed. at 7:00pm Dec. 6 and 13. Our Day School Christmas program Wed. Dec. 20 at 6:30pm.

**No Sat. Worship on Dec. 23.** Christmas Eve Worship at 9:00am (Lessons & Carols), 4:00pm

(Family Worship), and 7:00pm (Candlelight Worship). Christmas Day Worship at 9:00am. New Year's Eve Worship Sat. Dec. 30 at 5:00pm and Sun., Dec. 31 at 8:15am & 10:30am.

**There is no New Year's Day Worship.**



With the colder weather and snow coming We do require that children wear proper winter clothing to play outside in the snow. Boots, Hats, Snow pants, Gloves and Winter Coats will ensure a Great Outdoor Playtime for your child.



Thank you for your generous food donations to our Food Pantry and Thanksgiving Baskets. We are blessed to be giving out these baskets to those in need.

**Auction News!!!** Our date for the benefit is set for March 23 at Harbor Front Hall and our theme this year is "Michigan Awesome". While you enjoy shopping and purchasing items for you family and friends over this holiday season please remember the auction also! We are always looking for new items, hand crafted gifts or baked goods to auction off. Each year the classrooms have a basket to fill. Listed are ideas for your classroom basket:

**Kindergarten: Books, 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup>: MI State, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>: Red Wings, 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>: Tigers, 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>: University of Michigan**

We are also asking parents to provide gift cards or a bottle of your favorite wine for a new game. If you have any questions please feel free to call or text: Megan Vink [616-566-8289](tel:616-566-8289). Thank you for your support!!



Advent Devotional Booklets are being sent home with your children for your family. These devotions, entitled Love Came Down, are from Lutheran Hour Ministries. In Love Came Down we see

how the Heavenly Father spared nothing—not even His own Son—to work out our salvation. Though we had rebelled in our sins and spurned God and His Commandments, He chose us—not for exclusion, but redemption. The Father's love sought us out in our perilous condition and, in His infinite mercy, bridged the divide to our isolation through Jesus—the one Mediator between God and Man. A blessed Advent and a Merry Christmas to you all from the Board of Parish Education!

